IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

APPELLATE SIDE

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO. 878 OF 2006

I. P. Shankaran .. Applicant

Vs.

CBI ACB Bombay & Anr. .. Respondents

Shri C.K. Pendse & Ketan Ghag for Applicant.

Shri A.S. Shitole, APP for State.

Ezar Khan, P.P., for CBI.

CORAM: S.K. SHAH, J.

DATE : 25th April, 2006.

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This is an application seeking direction to the Special Court, Alibaug in Special Case No. 5/92 to delete the portion of the evidence with regard to the matter which is not covered by the charges levelled against the applicant in that case. There is no provision for such direction to be given to the Magistrate. Learned counsel for the applicant also states that he has made application to that effect to the learned Special Judge who kept it to be decided at the time of finally deciding the matter. Therefore the Special Judge is seized of the matter. Application is therefore rejected.

2. Learned counsel for the respondents submit that trial has been protracted since 2001. Learned Special Judge shall expedite the trial and decide as expeditiously as possible.

(S. K. SHAH, J)